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Operations are listed by start date

12/16/2002: Ron, W6OM, will be active as FO5VO from Bora Bora (OC-067, DIFO:FO-003) between December 16th and 20th. Operation will be mostly CW on 160, 80 and 40 meters. QSL to home call. [tnx ARRL DX NEWS]

12/16/2002: Harry, W6YOO, will be active from French Polynesia between December 16th and 20th as FO/W6YOO. His operation will be as follows: December 16th from Bora Bora (OC-067, DIFO:FO-003), December 17th from Moorea (OC-046, DIFO:FO-010), December 18th to 19th from Papeete, Tahiti (OC-046, DIFO:FO-002) and December 20th from Paiatea (OC-067, DIFO:FO-012). QSL via home call, direct or bureau. [tnx DX News]

12/18/2002: W1HH/KH6 will be active December 18th to 31st from Hawaii (OC-019), QRP only. Look for him 5 kHz up from band edge on 20 and 15 meters. QSL via home call. [tnx 425DXN]

12/18/2002: Alfredo, IK7JWX, and members of the Albanian Amateurs Radio Club Partizani (Tirana) are planning to be active from Sazan Island (EU-169), Albania, between December 18th and 22nd. The callsign will be ZA0IS, operated by ZA1FD, ZA1FH, ZA1KP and ZA5G. Alfredo will use the call ZA0/IK7JWX. Also planned is the activation of Sazan Island lighthouse (ALB-004). Operation will be on all bands, including WARC, SSB and CW. QSL via IK7JWX. [tnx IK7JWX]

12/19/2002: Dan, VK8AN, will be active as 4W6AN from Dili, East Timor (OC-148) from around December 19th through the end of the year. Due to limited notice and possible impermanence, Dan will only be putting out about 15 watts and the antennas will be a GP and a dipole to start with, but an amplifier is being considered. Look for him on the usual DX and IOTA frequencies from 40 through 10 metres. QSL direct only via VK4AAR (Alan Roocroft, P.O. Box 421, Gatton 4343, Australia). [tnx 425DXN]

12/19/2002: Jeff, PJ4/W8RXR, plans to be active from Bonaire, Netherland Antilles (SA-006) between December 19, 2002, and January 3, 2003. Operation will be on 15 and 20 meters, CW and SSB. QSL via home call, direct or bureau. [tnx DXNL]

12/20/2002: The next schedule with LU1ZD, operating from the General San Martin base (AN-016, WABA LU-11) will be on December 20th at 22.30 UTC on 21365 kHz. [tnx 425DXN]

12/21/2002: John, W2AGN (ARLHS member #142), will be active during the "Lighthouse Christmas Lights" event as W2C. He plans to be active between 14:00 UTC December 21st to 19:00 UTC December 22nd from Finn's Point Rear Range Light (USA-285). The lighthouse is located in the Fort Mott area, Pennsville, NJ (Salem County). If the weather does not cooperate, John will activate Finn's Point Rear Range on the following weekend. QSL W2C via John L. Sielke, W2AGN, 1353 Samuel Dr, Vineland, NJ 08360.

12/21/2002: The Central Texas Contest Group, WA5DTK, will be active between 00:01 UTC December 21st and 11:59 UTC December 31st from various lighthouses located in Texas. No other specifics were given. Look for them on 7260, 14270 and 21310 kHz. QSL via Barry Brewer, 603 Broken Bow Drive, Round Rock, Texas 78681, USA.

12/22/2002: Salvatore, IK1AWV/p, and Max, IK1GPG/p, will be active December 22nd, starting at 09:30 UTC, from Torre dei Giusi di Imperia (DCI reference IM-082 for the Italian Castles Award, Loc: JN43AV). Operation will be on 40 and 20 meter SSB. Torre dei Giusi is located in the Region of Liguria, Province of Imperia (IM). QSL via home calls, direct or bureau. [tnx F5NQL]

12/23/2002: Steve, K2ZPF/p, plans to be active December 23rd to 31st from three islands in the State of Florida. His prime location will be on St. George Island (NA-085, USI FL-007S), Franklin County. He will try for a day on St. Vincent Island (FL-006S, NOT IOTA), Gulf County, and one day on Dog Island (FL-005S, NOT IOTA), Franklin County. Operation will be SSB QRP (FT-817 and MP1) primarily on the hfpack frequencies, 17 and 20 meters. QSL via home call, direct or bureau. SASE / SAE + postage for direct QSLing. [tnx USI]

12/28/2002: Dave, GM0LVI/p, will be active from Tanera Mor (SCOTIA CN-32, IOSA SC-10), the Summer Isles (EU-092), between December 28th, 2002 and January 2nd, 2003. Operation will be on 80 through 20 meters, CW and SSB. QSL via home call. [tnx M0ADG]

12/28/2002: Max, IK2YSE, will be active December 28th, 2002, to January 2, 2003, as IM0/IK2YSE from the islands of Maddalena (EU-041, IIA SS-001) and Caprera (EU-041, IIA SS-005). Operation will be on 40 through 10 meters, CW only. QSL via the bureau. [tnx 425DXN]

12/29/2002: Takeshi, JI3DST, will be active between 06:00 UTC December 29th to 00:00 UTC January 5th as JI3DST/6 from Miyako Island (AS-079, Miyako-jima Hirara-City Okinawa-ken Japan). Operation will be on 40, 17, 15, 12, 10 and 6 meters SSB. QSL via JI3DST, direct or bureau. [tnx OPDX]

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73 and Good Hunting!
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